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Mr. William F. Caton Acting Secretary Federal Communications Commission 1919 M Street, N.W., Room 222 Washington, D.C. 20554

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION OFFICE OF SECRETARY

Re:

PR Docket No. 89-553, 193-144 and GN Docket No. 93-252

Ex Parte Presentation

Dear Mr. Caton:

Please be advised that RAM Mobile Data USA Limited Partnership sent the attached materials today to Peter A. Tenhula, with copies to Daniel B. Phythyon, David Furth and Amy Zoslov. Two copies of said materials are hereby submitted for the public record in this proceeding pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 1.1206(a)(1).

If there are any questions in this regard, please contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,

Daniel S. Goldberg

Attachments

CC:

Peter A. Tenhula Daniel B. Phythyon David Furth Amy Zoslov

Proposed Language for Inclusion in FCC Order Adopting Final Technical Rules for 900 MHz SMRs

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1. **DEFINITIONS**

- a. "Agreement" shall mean this License Agreement.
- b. "Licensed Material" shall mean the MTA listings contained in Attachment I hereto and the MTA Map.
- c. "MTA Map" shall mean the map contained on pages 38-39 of the 1992 version of RMC's <u>Commercial Atlas & Marketing Guide</u>, which graphically depicts the MTA listings contained in Attachment I hereto.
 - d. "License" shall mean the license described in Section 2 hereof.

2. LICENSE

- a. Subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement, including without limitation Section 4 hereof RMC irrevocably grants to AMTA, and all other interested persons (collectively referred to as "Licensees") a nonexclusive license to reproduce, create derivative works from, publicly distribute and publicly display the Licensed Material and derivative works created therefrom, provided however that such rights may be exercised solely for the purposes set forth in Attachment II hereto. Notwithstanding the foregoing, initial 900 MHz specialized mobile radio ("SMR") service MTA licensees ("MTA Licensees") may remain Licensees hereunder only upon payment to RMC of the requisite License Fee, as defined in Section 3 hereof. If an MTA Licensee fails to pay the requisite License Fee within the time period set forth in Section 3(b) hereof, the License granted hereunder to such MTA Licensee shall be null and void *ab initio* until such payment is received.
 - b. As a condition of the License. Licensees shall include:

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a. As consideration to RMC, each MTA Licensee seeking to become a Licensee hereunder shall make a one-time payment to RMC in the amount of \$125.00 per each 900 MHz SMR MTA ten-channel block license of which said MTA Licensee is the grantee (the "License Fee"). By way of example, if an MTA Licensee is the grantee of four (4) 900 MHz SMR MTA ten-channel block licenses, the requisite License Fee hereunder would be \$500.00. Once a License Fee has been paid for a given tenchannel block in a given MTA, no further License Fee shall be required from any

future entity that becomes the licensee of any or all of the channels within such tenchannel-block in such MTA.

- b. License Fee(s) shall be made in U.S. funds by wire transfer or in the form of a certified bank check payable to Rand McNally & Company which shall be transferred or delivered to RMC within 30 business days after the date that an MTA Licensee's 900 MHz SMR MTA license(s) is issued by the Commission.
- c. Upon receipt of the License Fee from an MTA Licensee, RMC shall include in Attachment IV, hereto, the MTA(s) and ten-channel block(s) covered by such MTA Licensee's License Fee.

3A. DEPOSIT

Within ten (10) days of the execution of this License Agreement, AMTA shall make a good faith deposit with RMC of \$12,500.00 (the "Deposit"). The first \$12,500.00 of License Fees that RMC collects hereunder shall be used to reimburse AMTA for the Deposit (the "Deposit Reimbursement"). The Deposit Reimbursement shall be made in U.S. funds by wire transfer or in the form of a certified bank check payable to the American Mobile Telecommunications Association, which shall be transferred or delivered to AMTA within 10 business days after the date that RMC collects the first of \$12,500.00 of License Fees.

4. TERM AND TERMINATION

- a. The License granted hereunder shall extend for the entire term of copyright in the Licensed Material, subject to earlier termination as provided herein.
- b. RMC may terminate the License as against any particular Licensee for a material breach by such Licensee of the terms of the License described herein, if such breach is not cured within 30 days after such Licensee receives notice of the breach. This right of termination is in addition to, and not in lieu of, any other remedies RMC may have for breach of this Agreement. It is understood and agreed that AMTA and the Licensees shall have no obligations hereunder to enforce the terms of this Agreement against persons or entities not a party hereto or as between themselves, and, furthermore, any breach of the terms of the License by a Licensee other than AMTA shall not be deemed a breach of this Agreement by AMTA or the non-breaching Licensees nor shall it impair AMTA's rights or the non-breaching Licensees' rights hereunder. Notwithstanding the foregoing, to the extent AMTA's or

- a Licensee's willful conduct in violation of this Agreement causes or results in a breach of the License by another Licensee, such willful conduct shall constitute a breach of the License by AMTA or the Licensee that causes another Licensee to breach, as applicable.
- c. This Agreement and the License granted hereunder shall terminate and be of no further force and effect if, at any time prior to the initial widearea licensing of 900 MHz SMR licenses, the Commission elects to use geographic boundaries for such auction that are not based on the Licensed Material, provided that AMTA so notifies RMC within 60 days after the Commission's decision. Within 10 business days after receiving such notification, RMC will refund the Deposit to AMTA.

5. OBLIGATIONS OF RMC

- a. Upon execution of this Agreement, RMC shall provide to AMTA: (1) The 1993 version of RMC's Trading Area System MTA Diskette, which is an electronic version of the MTA listings contained in Attachment I hereto, and (ii) three (3) copies of each of the MTA listings comprising Attachment I hereto and the MTA Map.
- b. Upon execution of this Agreement, RMC shall provide to the Commission two copies of the Licensed Material in hard copy form for use by Licensees in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Agreement.
- c. For a period of three (3) months after the date hereof, RMC shall, upon request therefor, make available to individual Licensees additional copies of the Licensed Material (excluding the MTA Map), which shall include the alterations and enhancements made by the Commission that are summarized in the Second Report and Order, GEN Docket No. 90-314, 8 FCC Rcd 7700 (1993), in hard copy and electronic form, at the fees summarized in Attachment III hereto. RMC shall have no obligation to (i) make any other alterations or enhancements to the Licensed Material that may be made by the Commission or any other Licensee, or (ii) include any alterations or enhancements whatsoever in any version of its Commercial Atlas & Marketing Guide.

6. RESERVATION OF RIGHTS BY RMC

- a. RMC reserves its right to alter the Licensed Material or any part thereof in the future. Any modifications to the Licensed Material shall not be included in the Licensed Material under this Agreement, unless the parties agree otherwise in a signed writing.
- b. RMC reserves all rights with respect to the Licensed Material not expressly granted herein, including but not limited to rights in respect of use of the Licensed Material or any part thereof for purposes other than those described on Attachment II hereto. The purposes for which the Licensed Material may be used may be expanded (e.g., to provide for use in connection with future Commission proceedings) solely with the prior written authorization of RMC and upon payment of additional compensation to RMC by an appropriate party, in an amount to be negotiated with such party.

7. REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF RMC

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- b. RMC shall indemnify and hold harmless AMTA and each Licensee, as applicable, from and against any losses, damages, liabilities, actions, judgments, settlements, costs and expenses (including reasonable attorneys' fees) arising from any assertion against AMTA or a Licensee that the Licensed Material used within the scope of this Agreement infringes or violates any rights of any third party, provided that: (i) AMTA or the Licensee, as applicable, promptly notifies RMC of any such assertion; (ii) RMC has sole control over the defense of such claim, including any related settlement negotiations; and (iii) AMTA or the Licensee, as applicable, cooperates with RMC in the defense of such claim (at no cost to AMTA or the Licensee). This indemnity shall not apply to any modification or adaptation of the Licensed Material if use of the Licensed Material alone would not be infringing.

8. GENERAL

- a. <u>Waiver</u>. The failure or delay by any party to enforce any term of this Agreement shall not be deemed a waiver of such term or of the right to enforce such term in the future. No waiver shall be binding unless in a writing signed by the party making the waiver. RMC's waiver of breach by one Licensee shall not be deemed a waiver of breach by another Licensee.
- b. <u>Complete Agreement</u>. This Agreement, including the Attachments hereto, constitutes the entire agreement between the parties and supersedes all prior and contemporaneous communications, representations, understandings or agreements between the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof. It may be modified only in a writing signed by the parties.
- c. <u>Severability</u>. If any provision of this Agreement is held by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid or unenforceable, the other provisions of this Agreement shall continue in full force and effect notwithstanding such holding.
- d. <u>Notices</u>. Notices relating to this Agreement shall be in writing and sent by reliable air courier service, or by registered or certified mail addressed to the parties at the addresses set forth above. Any notice to RMC shall be sent to the attention of Deborah Lipoff, Esq. Any notice to AMTA shall be sent to the attention of Alan R. Shark (with a copy, which shall not constitute notice, to Elizabeth R. Sachs, Esq., Lukas, McGowan, Nace & Gutierrez, 1111 Nineteenth Street, N.W., Suite 1200, Washington, D.C. 20036). The address to which any notice may be given may be changed upon written notice as provided above.
- e. <u>CONTROLLING LAW</u>. THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE GOVERNED BY AND CONSTRUED UNDER THE SUBSTANTIVE LAWS OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, AS APPLICABLE TO CONTRACTS MADE AND TO BE PERFORMED IN ILLINOIS.
- f. <u>Counterparts</u>. This Agreement may be executed in separate counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original and both of which together shall constitute one and the same instrument.
- g. <u>Publicity</u>. The parties hereto agree to issue a mutually acceptable press release regarding this Agreement or the License granted hereunder.

h. <u>Successors</u>. This Agreement shall be binding on and shall inure to the benefit of any successors or assigns of the parties, provided that no assignment of this Agreement shall relieve either party of its obligations to the other party.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have caused this Agreement to be executed by their respective authorized representatives.

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NAME:	Alan R. Shark	
TITLE:	President and CEO	

ATTACHMENT I

MTA Listings

ATTACHMENT II

Statement of Purposes For Which the Licensed Material May be Used

The Licensed Material may be used:

- (i) In any documents prepared in connection with 900 MHz specialized mobile radio services proceedings completed or pending before the Commission as of the date of this Agreement that rely on or refer to the Licensed Material or any successor proceedings.
- (ii) In any documents or other materials prepared in connection with the licensing, building, marketing and operation of 900 MHz specialized mobile radio services.

ATTACHMENT III

Schedule of Fees for Additional Copies of Printed Listings

Print Listing of Licensed Materials \$25/copy

MTA Diskette \$25 for first copy; \$5 for each

additional copy*

^{*} Additional charge for Federal Express.

ATTACHMENT IV

MTA(s) and Ten-Channel Block(s) For Which License Fees Have Been Fully Paid